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Re: Cell Phone Usage on Airline Flights

To the Secretary:

We are writing to plead with the Commission not to allow cell phone usage on airline flights. Ever since 9/11 we have had to arrive very early at airports and spend a great deal of time to wait for airline departures. There is no place in an airport that you can get a quiet spot to read newspapers or books as there is constant loud usage of cell phones everywhere. The only consolation has been the peace and quiet on the flight itself where we could indulge our passion for reading. Allowing cell phone conversations would be disastrous! Even if that usage was restricted to only part of the plane, the poor people sitting near that section would have to listen to loud conversations for the entire flight time.

PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE maintain the ban on cell phone usage on airline flights!

Very truly yours,

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